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Arizona Department of Public Safety Urges Motorists to Use Alternate Routes Due to a Fatal Collision on U.S. 93 near Wickenburg

This morning at 9:20 a.m. there was a head-on fatal collision involving two vehicles on U.S. 93 at milepost 186 involving a semi truck carrying copper concentrate. Both lanes are blocked at that location as a Hazardous Materials team works to secure the scene.

As a result, the Arizona Department of Public Safety recommends that drivers use an alternate route if traveling northbound by taking U.S. 89 at the 93 junction. For southbound traffic, the alternate is the U.S. 93 and S.R. 71 junction. Both are clear and open.

We have no estimated time as to when that section of U.S. 93 will be re-opened.